IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN THE MATTER OF THE MEMBERS OF)	ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
THE FELONY DEFENSE REVIEW)	NO. 2022-101
COMMITTEE	ý	
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Pursuant to Administrative Order No. 2020-156, the members of the Felony Defense Review Committee ("Committee") act under the authority of the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court in Maricopa County and are tasked with implementing the Plan for Review of Appointed Defense Counsel (the "Plan").

The Plan provides that the Committee shall be composed of the director of the Office of Public Defense Services ("OPDS"); the heads of the three adult indigent criminal defense offices, or their designees; the Presiding Criminal Judge, or a Maricopa County Superior Court Judge designated by the Presiding Criminal Judge; and four members of the criminal defense bar, appointed by the Presiding Criminal Judge, who do not hold a current OPDS contract or pending contract application and who are not currently employed by a Maricopa County indigent defense agency.

The Plan provides that the appointments of the members of the criminal defense bar are for designated terms.

The Plan further provides that the Committee chair and vice-chair shall be appointed for a one-year term, which can be renewed for up to three consecutive years.

Due to personnel changes or new designees and the expiration of members' terms, there is a need to update the committee membership.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED naming the following members of the committee, and stating the term expiration dates of the criminal defense bar:

Hon. Chuck Whitehead, Superior Court
Rosemarie Pena-Lynch, Office of Public Defense Services
Danny Evans, Legal Defender (Designee)
Steve Koestner, Legal Advocate
John Rock, Public Defender (Designee)
Ralph Ellinwood (Term expires August 22, 2023)
Lawrence Koplow (Term expires August 22, 2024)
David G. Derickson (Term expires August 22, 2025)
David Euchner (Term expires August 22, 2025)

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED reappointing Steve Koestner as Committee Chair and Lawrence Koplow as Vice-Chair through August 22, 2023.

Dated this 3rd day of August, 2022.

Hon. Jennifer Green Criminal Presiding Judge

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Clerk of the Superior Court

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Hon. Joseph Welty, Presiding Judge

Superior Court Judges and Commissioners – Criminal Department

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